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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos.

Part B for December 1924

SUBJECT

Hindi Chowkidari Matt.

Arrangements for the Safeguarding in the expenditure made by local

1931/mirz 52-24-78 26.12.24

Arrangements made by local bodies for safeguarding the Chowkidari Matters and Calls for the latest early report on the same matter.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

File No. 52 of 1924

Serial No.	
2	To, The Inez. Comr., Cowpatty ~~Grams Supdt, S.O. No 5010-2 D~~ Records The Inez. Comr's Circ. reporting the death of the Guru of Adi Chunchinagam in a
3.	From, The Inez. Comr, No. C. 197 dt 3 9 1924. Forwards copy of Inez. Dy. Comr's letter detailing the temporary arrangements made for the management by the local officers & the Sub Divl officers, and promising a further Report in the matter of the Selection of a Successor. The promised further report, may be awaited. Submitted AG 8.9.24 9.9.24

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Fy IV.

Abt. 20 or 3 years ago there was some trouble abt the Inez management & the matter by the late Agra Tejunath Jr. Now papers will also be placed & perhaps the further report promised by the Dy Comr will be available.
8L 9.9.24

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Inez. 7. 190 / 1920 is submitted
AG 15-9-24

Yes
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Now the 1920 papers show that the Agra who has just passed away was given certain assistance in the shape of Khanadaars &c in the management the matters affecting

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	Vernacular records have been received from the Mag. Com Dist. returning them, is submr. for appl. Submr. AV 20.9.1924 JS 20/9/24 JSW 20.9.24.
Near his at 14.9.24. Waited upon the Asstt Secretary MJ 25.9.24.	
5	To the Murasu Commr. No. 470 d. 26.9.24. Returns the records received with his letter in ref. & forwards the above Telegram received on 25.9.24 for Report.
6	From the Murasu Comr. No. Recommends that the the Kuildeu of Nagamangala that three more gentlemen may be added to the No. of Dharmadarsis of the Matt, & that a further reference will be made regarding succession to the matt &c. In Govt. order No. 6985-3 Misc 190-24 dt 23.6.24, five men were appointed as Dharmadarsis of the said Matt with one Channa Gowda

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And one Chermappa as Thandhar in
order to help the agent in the management
of the Mutt affairs. The Dy Com^r
knows well that these gentlemen have
not taken any interest in the mutt,
and that they have been living
in the different villages & and recommends at the instance
of the Amildar
that in addition to these gentlemen
two also as a check over the actions of
the present members 3 more from the
opposite party may be appointed as Dharmadarsis.
This makes the strength of the Committee
eight. The Mysore Com^r recommends that
the condition of the Committee as proposed
by the Amildar & supported by the Dy Com^r
may be sanctioned.

It seems doubtful how far the
Constitution of the Committee with members
of 2 opposite parties will conduce to the
amicable management of the mutt
affairs, particularly when there is no
servant to preside over the institution.

If approved a final reference
for all recommending the ~~possession~~
nomination of a suitable successor
and re-constituting Dharmadarsis in ~~possession~~ place
of the present ones, who are likely to
take interest in the institution & ~~may~~
give active help to the new agent
in setting ~~the~~ right the mutt affairs
may be called for as soon ~~after the 15th~~
~~April 25~~ as possible, ~~in~~ as ~~case~~ before the 15th Feb 25

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File No. Munz. 52-24-6.

To the Munz. Commrr. No. 953 d. 26.12.24.

Approves of the temporary arrangements proposed by the local officers for safe-guarding the Munte properties & looking after the proper conduct of services till the appt.t of a successor to the Munte, & requests him to expedite the further report promised about the nomination of a successor.

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C177/24-25 Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.
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Dated Bangalore, 10th December 1924.

From

K. Chandy, Esquire., B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

Ver 52-24—6

To

K. V. Anantaraman, Esquire., B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.420/M.F.52-24-5 dated 20th -- September 1924 and subsequent reminder No.759 dated 27th November 1924 in re the appointment of a successor to the Adi Chunchangiri Matt in - Nagamangala Taluk, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of Mysore District Deputy Commissioner's letter No.68 dated 27th November 1924 together with the vernacular records received there with explaining the -- present situation of the affairs of the matha.

2. The reasons for ignoring the existence of the previous Dharmadarsis appointed by Government and the necessity for a change in the personel are set forth at length in paragraph 4 of the Deputy Commissioner's letter. His recommendation for the approval of the action of the Amildar in constituting a fresh committee for the amicable management of the --- affairs may be sanctioned.

3. With regard to the election and other matters, a further report is promised by the Deputy Commissioner and the same will be submitted ------ immediately on receipt in this office.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

K Chandy

Muzrai Commissioner.

KSR.

Letter No.C.68 ~~xxxx~~ 24-25 dated 26/27th November 1924 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore,

"Referring to the correspondence ending with your letter No.C.177/24-25 dated 23/24th October 1924 calling for a further report on the --- affairs of the Sri Adi Chunchangiri Matt at Nagamangala and in the matter of appointment of a successor to the Peetha, I have the honor to forward herewith in original Nagamangala Taluk Amildar's two detailed reports --- received with French Rocks Sub-Division Officer's memo No.R.C.C.146/24-25 dated 4-10-24 and 15-11-1924 explaining the present situation of the affairs of the matt, for favour of perusal and kind early return.

It is seen therefrom that there are two rival candidates to succeed to the peetha, one of them being by name Sivanathji and the other --- Ganganathji, Besides, there is a telegram from one Triveninathji --- Barapanth of Kittur putting forth his claim to the matt (vide your letter No.C.177/24-25 dated 1/2 October 1924 with which the Telegram was sent to this office.) The disciples of the matt seem to have at first broken into two factions, one taking the cause of Sivanathji and the other of --- Ganganathji, Subsequently, it is reported that the two parties had -- almost reconsiled and settled their differences and were one and did not want any change in the constitution and mode of working of the present Committee. With a view, however, to provide a check over the actions of the present committee members, the Amildar has, as agreed to unanimously on all hands, selected the under mentioned three gentlemen from the --- opposite party for being added on to the committee:-- ~~xxxx

not even care to attend the matt in connection with recent death of the Iyva, and that for these reasons, he did not think it worth while to consult them in the future affairs of the matt or to include them in the present committee formed. Moreover, the gentlemen, are not as said not the disciples of the matt. In these circumstances the Amildar's action in having ignored them, seems to be justifiable.

As regards the election of a guru to the peeta, it was first reported that as the disciples are distributed far and wide and are mostly ---- agriculturists they could not be expected to assemble together for this purpose, until all the harvesting operations were over, and that with this view, they had fixed the 5th or 6th of April 1925 to conduct the election.

Since a working committee has come into existence as a result of -- deliberations at a meeting held at Mysore by the principal disciples of the matt on the 12th ultimo under the presidents ip of Rao Sahib Mr. H. Chennaiya (vide your letter 23-24 October 24 with which a copy of the -- meeting proceedings was sent) it is expected that the election will take place much earlier than April 1925.

The Amildar's report is silent with regard to the assets and ------ liabilities of the matt and as to the result of enquiry with regard to the some of the matt jewels that were reported to have been missing. The Sub Division Officer is being asked to furnish information on these points together with a report as to the progress made in the election business. On hearing from him, a further letter will be addressed to - you."

"C o p y"

The Muzrai Commissioner.

12/12/24.

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No. 470
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Date of issue 26-9-24

To

The Muz Comr

Signed by Mr. TRamaiya

Sir,

I am directed to return herewith the records received with your letter no. C. 1778 3rd Sept. 1924 relating to the appointment of a successor to the late Chunchunagiri Matt in Nagamangala Taluk and to report

The submission of
the report, may be
expedited.
(2) Telegram no. 312
from Trivendrum, on the subject
Barapanta, is forwarded.
for reference.
I have etc.
V. Gn.
(W.) Jr Rev. Secretary
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OFFICE OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY
TO HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,

Mysore 9.7 1924

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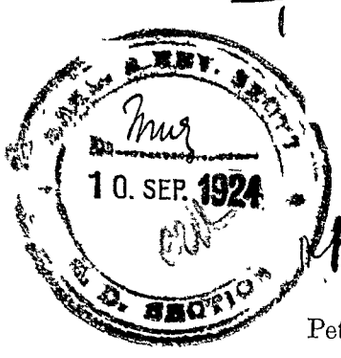

Petition, as shown below, to His Highness the Maharaja is transferred to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, ...Revenue..... Department, Bangalore, for

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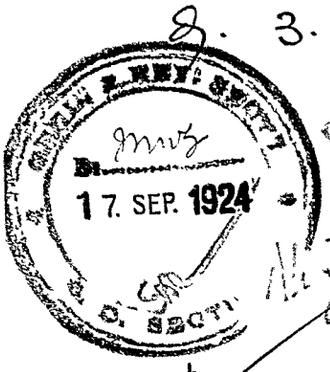

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No. C. 177 of 24-25 Office of the Muzral Commissioner in Mysore.

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Dated Bangalore, 1st September 1924.

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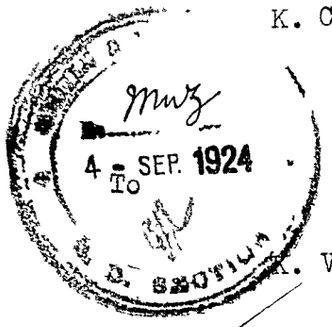
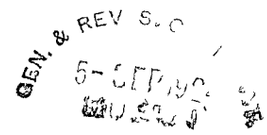
From

K. Chandy, Esquire., B.A.,

Muzral Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.





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Mmz. 52-24-3

To K. V. Anantaraman, Esquire., B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Revenue Department.

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Sir,

In continuation of this office No.177 of 24-25 dated the 7th August 1924 stating that a further report will be submitted in respect of the future management of the Adi Chunchangiri Matt in Nagamangala Taluk, I have the honor to submit herewith copy of Mysore District Deputy Commissioner's letter No.68 of 24-25 dated the 22nd instant with enclosures detailing the temporary arrangements made for the management by the local officers viz. the Amildar and the Sub Division officer and promising a further report in respect of selection of a qualified candidate for the Peeta, together with a statement of assets and liabilities of the matt.

~~This~~ His further report will be submitted on receipt from the Deputy Commissioner.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Muzral Commissioner.

KSR.

Letter No.C.66/24-25 dated 2nd August 1924 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"With reference to your memo No.C.177/24-25 dated 7th August 1924 calling for a report as to the future management of the affairs of the Adi Chunchangiri Matt, Nagamangal Taluk, I have the honor to state that it is seen from the enclosed file of vernacular correspondence received with French Rocks Sub Division Officer's memo No.R.O.C.146/24-25 dated 15-8-24 that the Amildar who went to Chunchangiri on the 26th July last, on receipt of the news of Ayya's death, stayed there for four days, made an all the properties belonging to the matt in the presence of the Matt -- servants, devotees and disciples of the matt and certain other leading -- gentlemen that were present there, drew up a list of all the matt articles and entrusting to the care of a set of committee Members, newly formed, such articles as are required for daily use in the institution, the rest of the articles were secured and kept in the matt premises itself under Taluk seal, after making those present in the matt responsible for safe-guarding them.

2. The *marginally noted are the gentlemen who have been formed into a committee of Dharmadarsis, at the desire of the Bhaktas of the matt, to manage the affairs of the institution till a successor is appointed to the peeta. These committee members have, at a meeting held by them on 28-7-24, arrived at some conclusion with regard to the conduct of business at the matt. A copy of their resolution is enclosed to the file.

1. M.R.Ry. Nanjunde Gowda- Patel, Ambil Cheedanally
2. " Lingappa " Chunchanahally
3. " Subbe Gowda " of Byalakere
4. " Papanna Gowda of Javaranahally
5. " Bore Gowda of Kanchanahally.

3. But Government in their order No.6956-6/Muz.190-20-8 dated 25-8-24 had appointed one Byalakere Channe Gowda, a land holder, as pesakar and one Channappa as Shanbhog and the following five gentlemen as Dharmadarsi to manage the affairs of the institution.

1- Mr. Krishnappa of Pelur, Land-holder and Stamp vendor
2. " Thimmegowda of Naganahalli "
3. " Thimmegowda of Pellur Land holder and Patel
4. " Kalage Gowda of Hayalu "
5. " Ramappa of Pellur Contractor and land holder.

These gentlemen do not seem to have been consulted with at all by the local officers in these matters and they seem to have been completely

ignored. The reason for this is not clear from the records now before me.

4. The Amildar reports that the proposals of the disciples of the matt for the formation of a committee of management consisting of the five gentlemen referred to in para 2 supra have been accepted and the committee made responsible for the proper conduct of worship etc., at the matt.

Further, arrangements are also said to have been made to ascertain the details of debts and encumbrances on the matt, if any, as some cases of alienation of the matt properties are reported to have come to the -- Amildar's notice.

With regard to the appointment of a successor to the vacant peeta, the Amildar states that he would submit a further report after the s---- selection of a duly qualified candidate is made & approved on all hands by the disciples of the matt.

Till then, the sub Division officer recommends that the temporary arrangement made by the Amildar for the management of the matt affairs, may be approved.

5. Meantime, I am calling for a report from the Sub Division officer, as to the existence or otherwise of the previous Dharmadarsis appointed by Government and as to why, if they continue, they have not been consulted in these matters and what objections there are to continue them as -- members of the managing committee. On hearing from him a further report will be submitted."

"C o p y"

for Muzral Commissioner. 1/9/24

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No. 953

Date of issue 26.12.24

To

The Muz. Comm.

Signed by Asst. C. R.

Sir,

Adverting to correspondence ending with your letter no. C. 177 dt 10-12-24 regarding the appointment of a successor to the ~~Adi Chandrasekharendra~~ Matt in the Nagapattinam Taluk I am directed to

recommending the appt. of nine persons as Dharmadarsis of the Adi Chandrasekharendra Matt in addition to those appointed as per G.O. No. 6956-8/Muz/190 2077 dated 23-6-22 and stating that a further report will be submitted

Temporary arrangements
hoped
~~made~~ by the local officers
for safe-guarding the
mail properties and looking
after the proper conduct
of services &c. till a
successor approved by
Govt is appointed is appointed, and
2. I ~~am~~ to request that
the further report promised
about the nomination of
a successor, may be
hastened.

(2) The encls. are returned
for ref. & return.

I have &c

for
Dy Pco. Secretary

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